

## WILL RUSH ANTI-TRUST LEGISLATION

### HOUSE TO PUSH MEAS- URE TO SPEEDY PASSAGE

### STANDARD OIL CURB ONE OF THE OBJECTS

### Company Now Building Pipe- line With Permission of Interior Department

Anti-trust legislation is to be hurried through to final passage in the house. This morning Tillotson called on the anti-trust measures and the senate bill, by Davis, Eggerman and Redwine, was read at length. The names of Ellis and Lindsay were added as house authors, they having prepared similar measures. McCalla obtained an offense for any merchant to sell trust-made articles. Final action on the bill was deferred until tomorrow so that the bill can be printed. A special committee, to meet this afternoon, was appointed to consider the bill. The committee consists of McCalla, Tillotson, Norvell, Eggerman and Jarrett.

**To Curb the Standard.**  
Tillotson, in urging action on the bill, stated that the Standard Oil company had yesterday been the cause of a pipe line from Caney, Kansas, into old Indian Territory. The secretary of the interior had a year ago given that company permission to build such a pipe line. During the last few days he had given them permission to construct the line without their signing any agreement that the line should be a common carrier. Should the line be constructed across the state line before the passage of the law it would mean that the state could be tied up in the federal courts, perhaps for several years. In the meantime the Standard would be plugging all out of the state and the local producers would be seriously handicapped.

The early passage of the law would give the state power to prevent the construction of a monopolistic pipe line and so a long way toward simplifying the situation.

**More Talk on Health Bill.**  
The motion to reconsider the vote by which the majority report was adopted on the board of health bill yesterday, was again brought up. Dr. Baldwin led off with some remarks for the minority report and did not believe a farmer should be on the board. Riddle made another speech along the same lines as before and was in fear of the minor schools of medicine being throttled. Sands replied quite warmly and there was some acerbity between him and the Chickasha doctor. Ellis and Ashby followed with more glorification of the farmer and believed he should by all means be represented on the board of health. When the noon recess was taken no action had resulted and the motion to reconsider was still pending.

**Skating Rink Band Thanked.**  
The "Rube" members of the house who took part in the hayseed parade today, took warm thanks to the Skating Rink band for favors. The band furnished music without charge. It is a good organization.

## GORE PRESSING FOR ACTION

### Oklahoma Senator's Plan to Rush Removal of Restriction- tions Bill Through Senate—Pitfalls in Way.

Washington, D. C., April 22.—Editor Guthrie Daily Leader: McGuire's removal of restrictions bill passed the house to-day. To avoid delay I introduced a copy so as to get the senate committee to report to-morrow before the senate meets.

T. F. GORE.

**Special to Daily Leader.**  
Washington, D. C., April 23.—Both Senators Gore and Owen have promised to do all in their power to rush the removal of restrictions bill which passed the house unanimously yesterday, through the senate and then through the senate before adjournment.

That the opponents to the measure among the latest of which are Jeff Davis, or Arkansas, Allison of Iowa, and Hale of Maine, will resort to all the tricks known to the trade of a politician to defeat the bill is certain. Aside from the oral arguments and hearings in the senate committee which will consume much time, other dilatory tactics must be planned. There are some who believe that the

## CLEVELAND'S NEPHEW FINED

(By Associated Press.)  
Toledo, April 23.—Wm. N. Cleveland, nephew of ex-President Cleveland and member of a Columbus bridge trust agent to pay a fine of five hundred dollars and serve five days in jail.

**Two Bank Cases Appealed.**  
The case of the First National Bank of Broken vs. Wm. Rogers et al. since appealed from the district court of Creek county to the supreme court today. The case of the Farmers National Bank of Pryor Creek, vs. the First National Bank of that city, was appealed from the District court of Craig county.

**Offers Murder Reward.**  
The citizens of Caddo county today by petition called to the attention of Governor Haskell one of the most brutal crimes committed in the new state since its admission. On the 24th of April C. W. Williams and wife, an aged couple residing on a farm near Lookaba, were brutally murdered, their house robbed and their bodies burned to conceal the crime. The murders were committed at night and for that reason and the fact that the locality is but sparsely settled the officers have found no evidence sufficient to make any arrests. They asked the governor to offer a suitable reward in accordance with which request the governor offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party or parties.

**Rose Croix Meeting Tonight.**  
There will be a meeting of the Guthrie Chapter, Rose Croix, No. 1, held at Masonic temple this evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of allowing bills, and election of candidates for the coming session.

ALMONT CLARK HIXON,  
Wise Master.

## WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

Mrs. W. C. Yochum, the oldest daughter of W. T. Walker, died at the Methodist hospital in this city Wednesday April 22, 1905, at 10 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Yochum came from her home south of Meridian last Wednesday to undergo a surgical operation which resulted fatally. She leaves a husband and son, besides four sisters and a father to mourn her loss. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. Friday, April 24, from the residence of her father, 415 North Drexel boulevard.

There is a movement on foot to organize a "buffalo" club in the city. Only those who have eaten buffalo from their own killing are eligible to membership.

## Fatal Gas Explosion

(By Associated Press.)  
Pittsburg April 23.—Four men were killed, three seriously injured, and a hundred others had a narrow escape from death early today when an explosion occurred at Mine No. One of the Ellsworth collieries company, at Ellsworth, Penn. The dead are foreigners. The bodies were mangled and badly burned. It is supposed the accident resulted from an accumulation of gas. Although the concussion threw hundreds to the ground, all escaped without serious injury and after great difficulty reached the surface.

## ATTACKS CALENDAR ZEALOUSLY

### SENATE GIVES SEVERAL BILLS STAMP OF APPROVAL

### AFTER WELCOMING PRESIDING OFFICER

### Upon His Return from the Valley of the Shadow of Death

Amid cheering and clapping of hands, waving of handkerchiefs, and vacillating toward a desk banked high with the freshest and most beautiful flowers to be had in field and greenhouse of the Great Southwest, Lieutenant Governor George W. Bellamy, for the first time since mid-winter, approached his station at ten o'clock this morning. It was not an ovation of politicians, but the welcoming of one who had been with the Great Divide, and had come again to resume his place of duty and honor among those who love him for the address and candor which he has manifested as the second official of a great state filled with a liberty-loving people. Brought by the springtime sun and wind, looking healthy and as if he had never been ill, the president of the senate blinked handsomely at the token of good fellowship and appreciation made so plainly manifest by the ovation. He hammered the gavel for the opening of the senate session, made an attempt to show his appreciation and took his chair, the great floral offering making it almost impossible for one to see the president at his desk.

**In Business Hour.**  
The committee of the whole took up the calendar with the same spirit a dog attaches itself to the trunk of a horse, and thrashed off bill after bill into the hopper of recommendation.

No. 181, the Franklin child-labor measure, was the first to be stamped ready.

No. 331, the Little bill, permitting two-thirds property owners and two-thirds residents, at the discretion of the council, to disconnect from the city. The bill is drawn for the purpose of relieving a condition at Sulphur, but is general in its provisions. It received the required recommendation to the senate for final consideration.

The Davis concurrent resolution, No. 45, also was recommended for passage. It places the state in position to handle the "Adams Fund" for the use of an agricultural experiment station.

No. 359 was referred to a special committee; No. 377 was also referred; and No. 289 was postponed until after the arrival of Mr. Hallett, tele author.

The bill to establish a law department in the state university, No. 297, was under consideration when the committee rose.

**Bills Introduced.**  
No. 391, by Stanford, locating an agricultural college in the Third judicial district.

No. 392, by Davis, pertaining to the appointment of receivers for property, amending the statute which allows appointment of receiver without protest and who cannot be discharged until the case is adjudicated and final settlement approved by court.

The Pioneer telephone company has fifty people employed and a pay roll of \$2,000 monthly in the Guthrie office.

## AMATEUR COWBOY'S MISHAP

### HORSE FELL ON ONE OF MILLER BROTHERS PERFORMERS

**Special to Daily Leader.**  
Kansas City, April 23.—In the introduction to yesterday afternoon's performance of the 101 Ranch Wild West show, one of the cowboy's horses slipped as he was rounding a turn and came crashing to the ground with the rider underneath. The other performers had to hastily drag the animal from the man's body. The man was Price H. Taylor. He was carried from the arena unconscious. Dr. Park A. Finley, the show's physician, attended the injured man at once and

## CLEVELAND IS AILING.

(By Associated Press.)  
Lakeview, N. J., April 23.—Today ex-President Grover Cleveland, who is suffering from stomach trouble, is not quite as well as yesterday.

found that he was suffering from a concussion of the brain and spinal column. It was thought at the time that Mr. Taylor was fatally injured, but he regained consciousness and was taken to St. Joseph's hospital. It was thought that his chances for recovery were favorable. He remained at the hospital when the big circus left town last night.

Mr. Taylor is not a cow puncher. He was for years traveling passenger agent for the Southern railroad, with headquarters at St. Louis. He came from Frankfort, Ky.

**Taylor Wanted The \$400 Diamond.**  
Taylor is a personal friend of the Miller brothers and was making them a visit at the 101 ranch, near Bliss, Okla., when the circus was being organized. He is an expert horseman and decided to join the band of cow punchers for the purpose of traveling about the country, riding the horses and "hitting" the Indians. He is 30 years old and unmarried.

It was Price M. Taylor whose name was connected recently with that of the Mulhall, the famous horseman, in a diamond ring controversy. Miss Mulhall went to St. Louis two weeks ago to meet Taylor. On the same day Taylor had a wife in need for the recovery of the ring which was valued at \$400 from her. He told the judge who issued the writ, that he was afraid that unless he recovered the gem at once he would lose it entirely, since he had heard that Miss Mulhall was engaged to be married to a rival. Miss Mulhall appeared to be greatly surprised and declared that she had never been engaged to Taylor. The case was set for trial in St. Louis April 27.

**A Woman Rider Hurt Too.**  
Taylor's accident yesterday was the third of its kind which has occurred to the performers of the 101 show during its two days' visit to Kansas City. The first occurred Tuesday when High Chief High, a Cheyenne, had a collar bone broken when his pony fell with him. His injuries were similar to Taylor's. The chief refused to go to a hospital.

The third accident happened to Miss Bertha Ross yesterday afternoon. She is one of the women who does some real rough riding. While sitting one of the bucking bronchos the animal reared and threw himself backwards upon his rider. This is the one trick of the ponies which the cowboys really fear. She escaped with no further injury than a severe bruise on her back.

"No," Mr. Joseph Miller said last night, "the number of accidents here was not usual. There is someone hurt at nearly every performance."

## UNIQUE SPECTACLE

### FARMER MEMBERS OF HOUSE GIVE STREET PARADE

### "RUBE" ACCOUTREMENTS

### "Farmer Member of Health Board" Their Slogan

The farmer members of the house paraded at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, clad in overalls and "jumpers," and wearing broad-brimmed straw hats. They were headed by a brass band playing "Turkey in the Straw" and other agricultural airs. At the head of the procession was drum major was W. A. Hobson, the stewart sergeant-at-arms of the house. The "yell" of the fifty or more paraders was "a farmer on the board of health." The parade was a demonstration that grew out of a contention in the lower house as to whether or not there should be a farmer on the state board of health. Those in the parade were all actual farmers in the house and in sympathy with the movement. They visited the state house and other points around town.

Speaker Murray was a conspicuous figure in the parade, carrying a rifle on a cane over one shoulder. He recalled his farmers' carb. He did the other participants, during the session of the house this afternoon, thus giving the body an appearance seldom seen among the legislatures of the country.

**Two Exhibition Games.**  
Two exhibition games of baseball will be played here, beginning Saturday afternoon between the Guthrie and Crescent City league teams. Bill Wilson, whose signed contract for the management of the local team, was received here today by Secretary Lucas. He will arrive Saturday morning from St. Louis. Sunday morning from professional players.

## LOCAL OPTION UPHELD

### ILLINOIS SUPREME COURT HOLDS LAW IS CONSTITUTIONAL

### KNOCKS LAST PROP FROM UNDER THE "WETS"

### Adverse Decision Would Have Put Back Many People Into Saloon Territory

(By Associated Press.)  
Springfield, Ill., April 23.—The supreme court today rendered a decision declaring the new local option law passed last year constitutional. If the decision had been adverse two million and a half people of Illinois who have lived in prohibition districts would be put back into saloon territory. The decision has been awaited with intense interest on both sides.

### SHORT CUTS TO THE NEWS

A short program was rendered yesterday morning at the Logan county high school at chapel exercises in observance of Oklahoma day.

The first annual convention of the gas, electric light and power companies will be held in this city on May 25, 26 and 27.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boland have returned to their home in Bogard, Arkansas, after a very pleasant visit in the city with Mrs. Boland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Raymaker, at 315 East Villa avenue.

Mrs. B. S. McGuire, wife of Congressman McGuire, is the guest of friends in the city.

The ladies of the Trinity guild will conduct an Easter sale at the rectory, 306 East Noble avenue Wednesday afternoon, April 29th.

The Benevolent society will meet with Mrs. Horace Speed on North Broad Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to consider important business.

The military ball at the Star rink last evening proved a big success.

The Pioneer Telephone company is now located in the first and second floors of the Gray building, at 111 South Division street, with as large an office here as anywhere in the state. The company now has 1,500 phones in the city and 200 rural phones.

The baseball season opens up here two weeks from Saturday, May 24th.

**Test Fruit Prospect Ever.**  
Frank Householder, the Logan county fruit king, is jubilant over the present prospect for the fruit crop. "We have the best commercial fruit crop ever raised," he declared this morning, and the prospect for all other crops is glorious, with the exception of cherries, which will make about half yield. It is a b. all odds the best fruit prospect Oklahoma has ever had."

## WOMAN DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL

### HAS AUTHORITY TO MAKE ARRESTS, SERVE PAPERS, ETC.

**Special to Daily Leader.**  
Muskegon, Okla., April 23.—Beniah Reynolds, deputy United States marshal in the Eastern district of Oklahoma. That is the way it reads on the payroll, and the petite, handsome girl that answers to the name is a real deputy marshal with authority to carry a stakeholder, a privilege which she soon, serving under Grant Victor, marshal of the district.

Miss Reynolds was born in Moberly, Mo., and educated at Lexington, Mo. She was in Oklahoma City at

## AFTER NIGHT-RIDERS.

(By Associated Press.)  
Winchester, Ky., April 23.—A company of state militia arrived today, mounted horses and read of away, refusing to give their destination. It is supposed they will ride through the country to the point where the night-riders have been active.

The opening. She secured her appointment under Victor as a political matter. She is a staunch republican herself and has friends who have influence. This got her the position she now holds. She was taken on as a stenographer, but when she went in she insisted on taking the same oath that any other deputy marshal takes, and she also is subject to the same rules and duties. So far as known she is the only woman actually in service as a deputy United States marshal. She has authority to make arrests, raids, serve papers and even go into the field on special duty.

When she took the oath of office she was asked if she would go out and make an arrest if it was required and if she would take part in a real fight if it came to a show down, and it was pointed out to her in what duties are sometimes required of a deputy marshal in tight places. Her reply was short to the point. "I will take the oath, and I am not a quitter." The next morning when the marshal came down he found lying on the desk of his new deputy a pearl handle six-shooter of excellent make and handsomely engraved, and every chamber loaded. He was informed that it shot pretty well and that it was a better gun than it looked. So far there are no nitches on this gun but who knows but there will be? For the fact is the young lady had been carrying this gun when she thought she needed it and she knows how to use it.

A few years ago and the outlaw, the horse thief and the murderer claimed the Indian Territory as his own, and disputed with his winchester the right of anyone to interfere. Today a girl in her teens fearlessly holds a position that was less than twenty years ago held by men who were willing to take their lives in their hands and laugh at almost certain death in their sworn duty.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. W. P. Washburn, 218 South Second street, delightfully entertained the Ladies Social circle of the Congregational church. A very interesting program was rendered. Miss May Baker, niece of Mrs. Washburn, gave a bright reading, "The Farmers Experience." Miss Venice McDowell sang a solo, with Miss Baker at the piano. Little Miss Helen Croft and Miss Chloe Edgewood sang a duet. Mrs. Howell sang a solo. Others gave readings and entertained with songs. Some excellent graphophone selections were rendered. Delicate refreshments were served during the afternoon and the occasion proved a very enjoyable one.

## Four Men With Guns

(By Associated Press.)  
Hot Springs, Ark., April 23.—Four men, with loaded revolvers entered the clubhouse of the Indian club, on central avenue early today, forced the occupants to line up along the sidewalk and looted the place of a large amount of money. The occupants were then locked in a room and the robbers escaped. No definite statement concerning the amount of money taken can be secured, but it is estimated between five and ten thousand dollars.

## PIPE LINE OFFICIAL IS HERE

### Prairie Oil and Gas Company President Wants Per- mission to Extend Into Indian Territory.

John J. Whetsel, of Independence, Kansas, president of the Prairie Oil and Gas company, which is the pipe line branch of the Standard Oil company, together with Atwood Katy appeared before the state board of equalization asking for additional time in which to file a statement of the company's assessable property in the state. To a leader reporter he said: "We don't know how many miles of pipe line we have in the state, nor approximately the valuation. I should judge though, that the report we shall turn in to the board of equalization will be in the neighborhood of \$10,000,000. We now have in storage in tanks along our lines 22,000,000 barrels of oil, which we will turn in to the board at its cost price. We have had a large company of men at work for the past two months," continued Mr. Whetsel, "preparing a statement to the board of our assessable property, by which we shall make about half yield. It is a b. all odds the best fruit prospect Oklahoma has ever had."

"We know the administration is against the project. We want to do the right thing, but we can't see what good the oil will do the Oklahomans. Of course, you should keep your gas at home."

The Prairie Oil and Gas company is the only company which has not a report before the board today. The other pipe line companies are: Gulf Pipe Line, Texas Pipe Line company, Kansas Pipe Line company and the Caney River Pipe Line.

The board of equalization met again this afternoon in Governor Haskell's private office. The statements of the Adams Telephone company, the largest in the Indian Territory, and the

## ILLINOIS TO STAND BY BRYAN

### EFFORTS TO PUSH JOHN- SON BOOM MAKE NO IMPRESSION

### CONVENTION FEELING SOLID FOR NEBRASKAN

### Sentiment Against Adoption of Platform at Present Time Gains Strength

(By Associated Press.)  
Springfield, Ill., April 23.—Tan men from Chicago headed by Maxwell Edgerton of that city, brought the Johnson boom to the democratic state convention here today, opened headquarters and conducted a strenuous campaign. They apparently made no impression, however, on the mass of delegates who are solid for Bryan.

Sentiment against the adoption of any platform at the present time gained strength over night. The convention was called to order at noon and after organizing and accepting reports from various districts, commenced the delegates listened to an address by Free P. Morris, of Watseka, the temporary chairman, who also will be the permanent presiding officer of the convention.

Three candidates for governor are active to-day—Douglas Patterson of Freeport, James Hamilton Lewis and John P. McGorty, of Chicago.

### DOES NOT VIOLATE LAW.

**When Person Brings Liquor Into State For Personal Use.**  
Attorney General West today held in an opinion to Representative T. B. Wortman of Ottumwa county, that a person may go into a neighboring state, purchase liquor and bring it to this state, if in government, to use it for personal use, without violating the prohibition law; but that if he brings the liquor into this state with the intention of selling or giving it away, it would be an illegal conveyance. Mr. West says in the opinion: "If I were sitting on a jury, I would not concern in a very real faith and for the case where liquor was found in the possession of a party which he claimed he had for his own use, and it was not proven otherwise."

## TODAY IN DEPARTMENTS

**Notaries Commissioned.**  
L. J. Myers, of Dustin, for Hughes county.  
J. A. Lynn, of Arcadia, for Oklahoma county.  
C. M. Bodoloff, of Burlington, for Garfield county.  
W. E. Bailey, of Carnegie, for Caddo county.  
E. M. Kimberley, of Lookaba, for Caddo county.  
T. W. Brindley, of Mustang, for Canadian county.  
Charles M. Hoover, of Foss, for Washington county.  
G. J. Foulis, of Gate, for Beaver county.  
Main Davis, of Abatacter, for Garvin county.

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